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YAZUO GITY.

PRIDAY, MAY 25, 1855, LAFAYETTE COUNTY. Having sworn that he would "reveal none of secrets" of the Know Nothing order, and offered to the public his reasons for an infraction of that obligation, Mr. McKinnon now stands before the public, waiting for their verdict. He will hear it soon, in these words, "guilty of moral perjustry in this objection. But it is well known that this is not the case. The principles of the party are before the world—the issue between them. secrets" of the Know Nothing order, and do to the public his reasons for an infraction of

.His name is also before the people of that county in connection with the candidacy for the office of Probate Judge. It is an office of great responsibility. Do the people of Lafayette county think he has displayed a high order of moral qualifica-Wentrusted to them in the Courts of Yazoo be has displayed a high order of moral qualificand adjoining counties and all the courts held tion for that office? Suppose when he takes the oath to faithfu ly discharge the duties of the office he should "apprehend it to be understood (as Faley says) by the promisee, that the promise "pro-TILLg ive prompt attention to all busin ss ceeds on a cortain supposition" for example, the entrusted to him in the Circuit and Pro- supposition that his position will not afford him te Courts of Yazoo and the adjoining coun- any opportunity to pocket a large sum of money by collusion with some helpless Orphan; and supposition should "turn out to be false," and that should get such a chance; would be not conclude that the "promisory outh" was "nugatory," and Jefferson's biography and other contemporanepeople naturally draw from his casuistry? Perhaps it would be the safer policy not to give him the opportunity. Lead him not vato tempta. 27-ly-

A MORMON MANIFESTO.

Baionam Young, the Governor of Utah, delivered a long address at the Tabernacle, at Great Salt Lake City, on the 18th of February. It is strongest manner. Alluding to the appoints selves! ment of Col. Steptoe he says:

entrusted to them in the Circuit and Pro- that I said "President Pierce and all hell could bate Courts of Yazoo, Holmes, Attala, Madison, not remove me from office." I will tell you society, known as the Richmond Junto. Both what I did say, and what I now say: the Lord door to reigns and rules in the armies of the Heavens, private conferences, and does his pleasure among the inhabitants of R. B MAYES. the earth. He sets up a kingdom here and pulls hue and cry of the Junto against secret political iness entrusted to them in the Vice Chanwants me to be; and for that time neither the lark land consequently mere acceptant courts of Yazoo County the wants me to be; and for that time neither the Circuit and Probate Courts of Madison county President of the United States nor any other Diogenes lit his lantern one night and went about power can prevent it. Then, brethren and sisters, be not worried about my being dismissed from office, for when the President appoints another man to be Governor of Utah Territory you may acknowledge that the Lord has done it, for we should acknowledge his hand in all things." We subjoin another passage in relation to the

practice of the Law. He has formed a copart- "The relation between us and the Govern- Archbishop Hughes and Bishop Timon, and the nership with James T Ruck Esq. They will ment may be likened to a man having twelve trustees. The latter have addressed a letter to attend to all business entrusted to tdem in the sons, and all the elder sons pitch upon the the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, in which Courts in Jackson M. Rucks will also at end younger one, as Joseph's brethren of old did up- they declare their unalterable determination not the courts in Raymond and in the adjoining on him. They persecuted him, and lied to their to submit their property to ecclesiastical confather about him, and tried to alienate the feel- trol. They say that the edifice belongs to them, ings of the old man from him, and succeeded in and that while they cheerfully submit to the aua measure in estranging the feelings of the fath- thority of the church in spiritual things, they er from the young child. So it is with the Gen-eral Government and us. We have pleaded They conclude: 'Spare us, love us; we mean to be one of the altar of our Church, but the material edifice will Courts in Jackson and in the Circuit and Probate Gourts of adjacent counties.

Spare us, tove us; we mean to be one of the
bate Gourts of adjacent counties.

Spare us, tove us; we mean to be one of the
best boys you have got; be kind to us, and if you
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chasten us, it may be said that we have kissed the rod and reverenced the hand that gave it, shortsighted tyranny of their spiritual rulers. a child. I love the star-like meadows, where the The different classes of dealers have formed asthe rod and reverenced the hand that gave it, and tried again; but be merciful to us, for do you not see that we are a dutiful child? But no, ecuted, our noble 'church may crumble brick of the majoritual rulers. a child. I love the star-like meadows, where the The different classes of dealers nave formed as sociations, and are holding nightly meetings to butter-cups grow, with almost the enthusiasm as sociations, and are holding nightly meetings to butter-cups grow, with almost the enthusiasm as organize measures to test its constitutionality. The Richmond when with my ringlets flying loose in the wind organize measures to test its constitutionality. are eternally running to the old man with lies in their mouths, and he will chastise little Joadjacent counties and Superior Courts at ackson. February 2, 33 t-f.

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THE undersigned will henceforth devote his and arms of the Government to kill the boy, yet

> chair, saying, 'go it, boys.'
> "What will become of this little Joseph? I Union; he is an alien, and we must exclude him. I will tell you what this will amount to:

they will pound and abuse Joseph until his aff-

"What is going to be done with these turbause tupleme and Washington counties and
will tell you what might be done and what Particular attention paid to the colline of claims in adjoicing counties.

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March 20 40 ly.

BOUNTY LAND.

LL Persons who served the United States two weeks in any war since 1790 as a them have officers of their own choice, are entitled to

ought to be done. The Government United States and the president of the States ought to treat the religion Latter States ought to the religi

THE CHARGE OF SECRECY.

tween them and their oponents is fairly made up---and they are ready and willing to put their cause into the hands of the popular jury for de-

The interior organization is secret. And why! Because they can the better accomplish their purposes by secret association. Dees any body object to Masonary and Odd Fellowship because they accomplish deeds of charity and benevolence by secret means? Not at ali. On the contrary this very secrey is essential to the ntegrity and preservation of the orders, and the only thing which prevents them from falling to

One would suppose from hearing these worthy gentlemen declaim, that this was the first instance in the history of our country of a secret political society. Do the knows that the Conven chich framed the Constitution of the United States sat with closed doors from the 25th of May to the pocket the slice of the orphan's estate? We do 17th of September? If not, let them consult

What was the midnight caucus, which was held here, night after night in the month of March, 1853, for the avowed purpose of excluding every Whig in Virginia from the halls of Congress---What was that but a secret political

But the Know Nothings plot against the liberties of the people! How? The people have a right to vote as they choose---and if they choose to vote with the Know Nothings who can gainsay their right to do so! It is absurd to talk of WILL Practice in all the Courts of Yazoo a sort of exposition of the Mormon doctrines and plotting against the liberties of the people---for W and adjoining counties and in the High a defence of Mormon fidelity to the Constitution of the United States. He gives a history of the career of Joseph Smith, and eulogizes him in the suppose that the people will plot agoinst them-

The truff is, that in Virginia especially, the State has been virtually ruled by secret political "The newspapers are teeming with statements societies. The plan of every campaign was concocted here in Richmond by a secret political parties have had their secret caucuses and their

down another there at his pl asure: he walks in societies, is, that it blocks their own game. It the midst of the people, and they know it not; breaks the force of their secret society by opposhis pleasure. Hence I conclude that I shall be and consequently mere acceptable to the peo-

As for the dark lanterns, history tells us that

THE Sr. Louis Church.-The controversy in regard to this church has been revived between

Tom, Bill; Dick, &c. commence pounding on to little Joseph, and the old man is dozing in his seem from the accounts that we have had that seem from the accounts that we have had that Gov. REEDER has rendered himself very unpopu-"What will become of this little Joseph! I slar, and he is charged with being a friend to the will tell you. We are a child of the Govern-The estimated profits of the four principal hotels and seeks only to preserve law and order in the ship with WM. T. WIPHERS.

Win tell you. We are a child of the Collisists. A letter in the New York Collisions in the family and trails for mercial, however, says that Gov. Regder is not that has beat so long and truly for me, the dim that has beat so long and truly for me ren and be numbered among them either in a and seeks only to preserve law and order in the Territorial or State capacity. What next! Territory. Much now depends upon the firmness and discretion of the Federal Executive Territory. Much now depends upon the firm-ness and discretion of the Federal Executive the courts held at the city of Jackson.

The cry is raised by the older boys that it will ness and discretion of the Federal Executive the bright, glad young face, that won me first, room in the city is set down at \$1200. It will their brow mixed with the very bread they ate, it shine through those feathered features, and the be seen by this statement what a vastamount of would be no cause of nomplaint; but when a lot strife, of which Kansas will be the first theatre. [Alexandria Gazette.

> The "Holy Synod of Russia," in its reections are entirely weaned from his parent and cent manifesto to the faithful, urging them to Though this form he bowed, God has planted from his brethren, and he becomes an independ-ent how. Who will cause this! The Mormon! No, the elder brethren will do it. They will urge on their hostility against little Joseph until he is driven into Egypt for succor. Well, if this is not Egypt enough, where will you find sels, in the illness which decimated their armies

pondent of the New York Express says of the he that fled from his enemies. approaching election in Virginia:
"The Virginia election is almost the sole top-

formed politicians believe rginia. The whole vote

SONNET BY DANIEL WEBSTER.

And images an this cold surface traced:

write,

That these may never from the soul depart, We trust them to the memory of the heart There is no dimming-no effacement here; Each new pulsation keeps the record clear; Warm golden letters all the tablet fill, Nor lose their lustre till the heart stands

They say that thou art Poor.

They say that thou art poor, Louise, And so I know thou art; But what is wealth to noble minds, Or riches to the heart! With all the wealth of India's mines, Can one great deed be bought? Or can a king lom's ransom bring One pure and holy thought: No: vain your boasted treasures, Tho' earth to gold is given,

Gold cannot strength to measure The love bestowed by heaven. They say that thou art poor, Louise, And so I know thou art; But why should lack of sordid pelf Thrust thee and me apart? The pearls that sparkle on the lawn Our jewels bright shall be; The gold that frets the early dawn

Shall fit our treasury! Ask ye the proudest minion Whom gold gives rule o'er earth, Doth not our broad dominion Out begger all he's worth!

We'el rove beside the brook at eve, When birds their vesper song Of gentle truth and guileless love, To woods and winds prolong! And from the morning jewelled cup Such healthful draughts we'll have, As never met the favored lips Of fortune's glided slave. Could Lydian Crossus, dearest;

As wide a kingdom see As the fairest realm thou hearest Belongs to thee and me? I know that thou art poor, Louise,

And so indeed am I! But not the hoard's of ocean's caves Our poverty could buy! For wealth beyond the miser's thought We both alike control-

The treasure of a priceless love, The riches of the soul, Then at this hour divine, love, To holy echoes given, Let thy true vows and mine, love Be registered in Heaven!

A LOVER STILL.

graves. Through storm, and through sunshine we places for selling liquor' in that city is now 5536; knitting, her cap quaintly frilled, the old styled over seven thousand liquor shops in the city! small to him; and he appears small to every kerchief crossed white and prim above the heart. The estimated profits of the liquor trade to the body. growing love of forty years thrills my heart till

the tears come Say not again I can no longer be a lover:be blind, the hands palsied, the limbs withered the

"Never be critical to the ladies," was ic of conversation in this city at present, and the maxim of an old Irish peer; remarkable for throughout the Southern Star. The best in-2000 votes. I learn gentleman ever will attempt to look at the faults 2,000 members of the of a pretty woman is, "to shut his eyes!"

M. De Tocqueville, replying a few weeks ago to an invitation to attend a banin by Americans in Paris to the memoy of Washington, wrote : "There is no graner same in history, and if it was permitted me to choose a place among the great men who have left eternal memerials I would choose without hesitation, the place of Washington, and I believe that all who can appreci al beauty and are capable of being em works of that great man!"

The prominent objection to the Know-Noth ing party is, that it is a secret political organization. Answer every other objection that may be brought to it, and the objector invariably receive to the charge of secrecy, and discourses you indignantly about midnight conspirators, and the interesting and the interesting and discourses and discourses and discourses and discourses and affecting reflection that are an interesting with us in thinking it a happy idea, happily exponentially in this objection. But it is well known that this is not the case. The principles of the party are before the world—the issue between them and their oponents is fairly made two-nation of their oponents is fairly made two-nations of the brain; Names, things, and facts—whiate' rewer when the edge call,

The triangle of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of half or invariably of the value of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of the value of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of the foreigness and the value of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of the foreigness and the value of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of the foreigness and the value of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of the foreign and the value of flowers has been cherished and enlarge of the value of and admiration. In their opening pates and fading beauties they invite the mast pleasing and fading beauties the own fleeting being. The bright beautiful flowers bloom alike in the limited teritory of the cottage ed at the cause of freedom." Make slight impression and are soon effaced. bloom alike in the limited teritory of the cottage But we've a page more glowing, and more and the proud and dominions of the rich and gay, What a varied language they speak, so replete On which our friendship, and our love to with pleasing sentiment! And what more delicate way we can choose to express the delicate feelings other person shall carry a bottle, or cask, or

> hold communion with our minds and while g izing upon thom all the coarser feelings of our nature shrink beneath the shrilling blasts of winter, but when spring comes foath and smiles upon them they renew their bloom reminding us of our Immortality. We may cultivate them in immitation of him who has strewn them around us in such rich profusion. The love of flowers ever been considered as an index of moral excellence and in effectual refinement. When we see a house surrounded bp flowers, we almost instinctively aslowliest flower those great lines of Beauty for

Vhere I, oh God, in churchless lands rema Far from all teachers and divines, My soul could find in flowers of thy Priests, sermons, shrines!

the passage of the Prohibitory Liquor Law. Most den, noted for eccentricity, advanced at ful complaints concerning its stringency, and violent deffunciation of the new party. crative branches of trade in that State: They of our republic, and as he warmed in his sub-pronounce it unjust, oppressive, and odious to ject, Know-Nothingism withered to a bare name nine-tenths of citizens of New York, and declare under his scorching touch, while cheer after cheer that it was fraudulently forced through the Legislature. On the other hand, the Tribune and creasing, kindred prints, are in ecstacies over the passage of this law, and are busily engaged in picturing to the minds of their readers the many benificial results that will flow from its rigid enforcement; They are jubilant over the idea of proclaiming; on the next anniversary of our national inde-es? pendence- the day on which the law goes in operation—the freedom of the Empire State from the thraldom of King Alcohol. Mayor Wood has issued a proclamatien, in which he says the champion, clinching his fists, shouted: law is distasteful to him, but expresses his de-"No longer a lover!" exclaimed an aged patriarch termination to enforce it to the extent of his "ah! you mistake me if you think age has blott- power. To do this effectually he believes that ed out my heart. Though silver hairs fall over it will require a force of two thousand policea brow all wrinkled, and a cheek all furrowed yet men. In the meanwhile the liquor dealers I am a lover still. I love the beauty of the maid- evince a determination to resist the operation of says that the London Times always arrays itself

The condition of things in Kansas in at racting attention all over the country. It would reacting attention all over the country. It would ed hands of the dead, together and wept over little the traders. The whole number of licensed ed hands of the dead, together and wept over little the traders. The whole number of licensed ed hands of the dead, together and wept over little the traders. The whole number of licensed ed hands of the dead, together and wept over little the traders. angelic radience. I see; though no one else can York, \$30,000. The average value of each bar-

> LIBERIA .-- The New Orleans Bulletin says: "The success of the Republic of Liberia demonstrates an interesting truth, that such a thing as African nationality is not amere chimericle tained by enthusiast and zealots, t, substantive fact, and that the ag political and social condition, the colonization system as adopted by the people of the United Prayer." States, has been eminently successful."

> HEAVY ROBERY BY V BOY.—A few weeks ago a youth named John Fitzgibbon, stole \$1,300 from his father Warren Fitzgibbon, the same being the savings of several years of hard labor.
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> The graceless son immediately decamped, but was last night discovered and overhauled by the was last night discovered and overhan young "prodigal" confessed that he went paper by to New Bedford where he aquandered a large politics. To the best stated in extension that nouncing of

NISM AND ABOLITIONISM .- Northern The love of flowers has been cherished and cul: Abolitionists fully understand the value of half

STRINGENT. - One of the amendments of the liquor law in Maine reads thus:

"If an expressman, cartman, porter, or any of the mind than by these pure emplems of innodemijohn of wine or other liquors to a gentleman's residence, he is subject to a fine of twenty dollars and costs for the first offence. For the second offence a fine and costs and thirty days' imprisonment is the penalty. If any man carries in his own baggage or about his person finds no expression. We read in their volumes a flask or any other vessel containing liquor of of instruction pencilled by the hand divine. They any sort to be used by him, the party doing so is made liable to a fine of thirty dollars and thirty days' imprisofment,

FIGURESTERISM SHOCKED. The latest news from Havana is a "stunner" for Young America. Commodore McCauley, whose guns were expected (by the mad-caps) to blow Spanish cruisers out of the Gulf and knock the Moro into the middle of next week, was last seen tele-atete with General Concha; reviewing Spanish troops. The fair inference, if not the settled fact is that the gallant Commodore went out incribe delicacy and refinement with all the gentler structed to settle little matters of difference, and and nobler feelings to its occupants. But instead found no difficulty in doing so in a peacable manner, which is far the set way for good christians to deal in an age of bibles, printing presses, and unexampled commercial enterprise. Peace, at our time to study them, to learn of their delicate any price, will be a bitter pill to the fellows who exture and the skill and workmanship which are get up Park meetings; but war, short of the displayed in their formation. This naturally leads weightiest reasons, would be far more bitter; our thoughts to that being who has traced on the shameful, and degrading to this pation. New York Mirror

A STORY FOR THE TIMES .--- About the time of the State election, and while party spirit ran high, an energetic Know Nothing cauvasser had, in a very fiery speech delivered in Millville, in Worcester county, worked the foreign population ap to a point of indignation past all ende THE PROHIBITORY LIQUOR LAW IN NEW ance. The day following, as a crowd of Iris YORK. The liquor dealers of New York are in meti were collected in the street, brooding over a terrible state of excitement, in consequence of their fancied injuries, a gentleman named Holof the newspapers are filled with the most dole- them, and, to their great delight, commenced a

predict that its enforcement will cause the entire | Beneath his magic influence the alien audidestruction of one of the most extensive and lu- ence became in their own estimation, the pillars

> "Who;" asked he; "build our Railroads?" "Irishmen!" was the enthusiastic reply. "Who dig our canals?" "Irishment"

"Who build our State prisons and almshous-

"Irishmen!" thundered a hundred voices. "Who fill them?" Waiting in vain for a reply, their whilom

"Irishmen-you devils-Irishmen! Bostow True Flag:

A Good Hir .- The New York Herald says; WHICH IS WHICH .- The Richmond Enquirer THE undersigned will henceforth devote his and arms of the Government to kill the boy, yet attention to the practice of his profession in he sleeps in his chair and dreams it over, and the first hands in the full bloom of youth and liar duties, with the touch of filthy lucre."

THE undersigned will henceforth devote his and arms of the Government to kill the boy, yet avaricious Priests will cease to defile their hands, but like the faded rose, the perfume of her love is but like the faded rose, the perfume of her love is but like the faded rose, the perfume of her love is but like the faded rose, the perfume of her love is but like the faded rose, with the touch of filthy lucre."

When we look at statistics of the liquor trade richer than when in the full bloom of youth and liar duties, with the touch of filthy lucre."

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hea. A fool in a high station is like a man on have clung together; and now she sits with her and of unlicensed about 1570, making a total of the top of a high mountain everything appears

In selling provisions at high prices it is

If the rich were ground down till the sweat of property is interested in the question whether or not the law shall be maintained. gry--breadless because somebody demands a high price for his his corn, it is a case of inhumanity which God will not overlook when he compels that Somebady to take a conscience at the Day of

S. W. Indeepndant.

ELOCUTION IN PRAYER .-- One day a little girl: It is folly for men of merit to think of escaping censure, and a weakness to be affected, fighting on our side."

It is folly for men of merit to think of escaping censure, and a weakness to be affected with it. Fabius Maximus said, he was a ted with it. Fabius Maximus said, he was a greater coward that was afraid of reproach, than greater coward that was afraid of reproach, than an experimental effort to civilize and christianize the natives of Africa, and to improve their "Mother, don't you think that if he lived nearer